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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b),
is a Continuation application of PCT International Application
No. PCT/JP02/01747 filed on February 26, 2002.

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For: METHOD OF PREPARING 2-DEOXYRIBOSE 5-PHOSPHATE

Enclosed are:

- ☒ A specification consisting of Forty-five (45) pages
- ☒ Five (5) sheet(s) of formal drawings
- ☒ An assignment of the invention
- ☐ Applicant does not claim priority

- ☒ Applicant claims the right of priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based on Application No(s). 2001-058902 filed in Japan on March 2, 2001.
- ☒ Certified copy(ies) is(are) attached hereto.
- ☐ Certified copy(ies) will follow.
- ☒ Executed Declaration ☒ Original ☐ Photocopy
- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 with reference(s)
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Priority of PCT International Application No. PCT/JP02/01747 filed on February 26, 2002 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120.
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